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Dear Sirs,

On December 11, 2002, by facsimile transmission, Applicant filed with the Office the REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME, together with AMENDMENT in Response to the Advisory Action, in connection with the above-cited application.

However, the monthly Deposit Account Statement (No. 13-3860) for December 2002 indicate that the Office has not charged the requested fee of US\$ 55.00.

The undersigned accordingly requests to debit the requested amount of US\$ 55.00 for One Month Extension of Time – Small Entity, on the deposit account number 13-3860, and respectfully asks the Examiner to consider the contents of the request dated December 11, 2002.

Respectfully submitted,

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